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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Kaarsholm et al. Confirmation No.: 9239
 Application No.: 10/825,995 Group Art Unit: 1654
 Filed: April 16, 2004 Examiner: Bradley, Christina
 For: Stabilised Insulin Compositions

PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a))

Commissioner for Patents
 P. O. Box 1450
 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action mailed June 27, 2006, having a shortened period for reply of one (1) month, due to expire July 27, 2006, be extended for a period of three (3) months from July 27, 2006, to October 27, 2006, to permit timely filing of the Response to Restriction Requirement enclosed herewith.

In the event that an additional extension of time is required, Applicants hereby petition for such extension of time. The Commissioner of Patents is authorized to charge the required fee, if applicable, to Deposit Account No. 14-1447.

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Respectfully submitted,



Date: October 26, 2006

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